HUNTLEY PARISH COUNCIL STANDING ORDERS

RECREATION GROUND RULES

Huntley Parish Council as Trustees of the Huntley Recreation Ground, acting for the Charity Commissioners, hereby make known the following rules, with which all users of the ground must apply:

No event is to be held involving the use of the ground without obtaining written consent on behalf of the Parish Council. This application must be made, in writing to the Parish Clerk, at the latest, by 1st of the month preceding the date of the event.

A deposit of £30 will be required which will be returned providing all the rules have been satisfied. The Parish Council may, at its sole discretion, levy a charge for the use of the ground in addition to the deposit.

Unless the Parish Council has given specific written permission, motor vehicles, horses, sheep and cattle are prohibited from using the Recreation Ground. If permission is granted the organiser must ensure the gate is locked after the event (or overnight).

In the case of recurring use, permission must be renewed annually.

The following conditions will also apply:

1. Permission to use the Recreation Ground must be sought from the Parish Council for any events that combine use of the Village Hall and the Recreation Ground. The Village Hall Management Committee are concerned only with the Hall and have no responsibility for the Recreation Ground.

2. After use of the Recreation Ground all litter must be cleared within 5 days and the ground made good where stakes etc., have been used. General litter, paper, wrappers, cans, plastic bottles etc., must not be placed in the ‘doggie bins’. Any damage will be charged to the organiser.

3. Use of the Children’s Play Area is reserved for children under 12 years of age.

4. Any person causing damage, vandalism, etc., will be liable to prosecution by the Parish Council.

5. Persons or organisers seeking permission to use the Recreation Ground are responsible for arranging their own insurance to cover personal and public liability including injury and damage.

6. The Parish Council reserves the right to authorise or to refuse permission to use the Recreation Ground.

7. Any person(s) or organisation using the Recreation Ground for any event without permission may be asked to leave.

8. Any alteration to these rules will be brought before the Parish Annual General Meeting. Any views will be considered at a subsequent Parish Council Meeting but the final decision will rest with the Parish Council.

Source: Rules for Huntley Recreation Ground dated 1st July 1980 (amended)

Reference: Annual Parish Meeting Minutes 4th April 2006 (Item 8).